March 26, 2004

Subject: Survey Form for Aggregate and Related Operations

To Facility Owners/Operators:

The South Coast Air Quality Management District (AQMD) is conducting a survey for Proposed Rule 1157 – PM10 Emission Reductions from Aggregate and Related Operations, which is scheduled for adoption in July 2004. The proposed rule would implement Control Measure BCM-08 of the 2004 Air Quality Management Plan (AQMP).

The purpose of the survey is to seek more information about local aggregate and related operations, such as concrete batch, hot-mix asphalt, and crushed miscellaneous base plants, crushed stone and concrete product operations, landfills that backfilled with construction and demolition debris, as well as facilities that handle cement and aggregates. The data collected will be used to refine the AQMD's existing emissions inventory for the aggregate and related operations, and would assist AQMD staff to minimize the impact of the proposed rule through development of cost-effective control measures.

Your input is critical to our emissions inventory as well as the development of the proposed rule; therefore, it is imperative that you complete all applicable sections of the form and provide your facility-specific data that are supported by your records. For your convenience, you may download the survey form from: http://www.aqmd.gov/rules/proposed/r1157

You may either submit your complete form to:

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or mail it to:

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on or prior to April 30, 2004. If your facility-specific data is not received by that due date, default values will be used to estimate your emissions.

Thank you for your participation in the survey process. Should you have any questions or require any assistance in completing the requested information, please contact Tuyet-Le Pham, Air Quality Specialist, at (909) 396-3299.

Sincerely,

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